STATE OF ALASKA DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE, COMMUNITY, AND ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT DIVISION OF CORPORATIONS, BUSINESS, AND PROFESSIONAL LICENSING

STATE MEDICAL BOARD

MINUTES OF MEETING September 23, 2022

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By authority of AS 08.01.070(2) and in compliance with the provisions of AS 44.62, a special meeting of the Alaska State Medical Board was held on Friday, September 23, 2022.

1. Call to Order/ Roll Call

The meeting was called to order by Chair Wein at 12:02 p.m.

Roll Call

Board members present:

Sarah Bigelow Hood, PA-C Matt Heilala, DPM Lydia Mielke, Public Member (Secretary) Steve Parker, MD David Paulson, MD Richard Wein, MD (Chair) David Wilson, Public Member

Absent: Maria Freeman, MD

Board staff present: Billy Homestead and Sonia Lipker, Investigators, Natalie Norberg, Executive Administrator

2. Review / Approval of Agenda

On a motion duly made by Lydia Mielke and seconded by Sarah Bigelow-Hood, the Board approved by roll call vote to accept the draft agenda as presented.

Roll Call: Yeas, Ms. Bigelow Hood, Dr. Heilala, M. Mielke, Dr. Parker, David Paulson, Dr. Wein , Mr. Wilson Absent for Vote: Dr. Freeman

3. Introduction of Case – Voluntary Suspension of License

On a motion duly made by Lydia Mielke and seconded by Ms. Bigelow-Hood, the Alaska State Medical Board entered into executive session in accordance with AS 44.62.310(c), and Alaska

Constitutional Right to Privacy Provisions, for the purpose of discussing a voluntary suspension of license for Jeffrey Harmon, Physician Assistant with Board staff remaining.

Roll Call: Yeas, Ms. Bigelow Hood, Dr. Heilala, M. Mielke, Dr. Parker, David Paulson, Dr. Wein, Mr. Wilson Absent for Vote: Dr. Freeman

The Board entered executive session at 12:06 p.m. The Board exited executive session at 12:17 pm.

Dr. Freeman joined the meeting at 12:11 p.m.

On a motion duly by Lydia Mielke and seconded by Sarah Bigelow-Hood, the Alaska Medical Board adopted the Voluntary Suspension of License for Jeffrey Harmon, Case # 2022-000767, as presented.

Roll Call: Yeas, Ms. Bigelow Hood, Dr. Freeman, Dr. Heilala, M. Mielke, Dr. Parker, Dr. Paulson, Dr. Wein, Mr. Wilson

4. Consideration of Applicants for Full Licensure

On a motion duly by Lydia Mielke and seconded by Sarah Bigelow-Hood, the Alaska Medical Board approved full licenses for the following allopathic physicians: Rebecca Stark and Linda Meyers.

Roll Call: Yeas, Ms. Bigelow Hood, Dr. Freeman, Dr. Heilala, M. Mielke, Dr. Parker, Dr. Paulson, Dr. Wein, Mr. Wilson

5. Wrap up/Adjourn

The Board was reminded that the next quarterly meeting will be held in-person in Anchorage on November 4, 2022.

The Meeting was adjourned by unanimous consent at 12:22 p.m.

Submitted by:

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Natalie Norberg, Executive Administrator

Approved by:

Richard Wein, M.D., Chair

Date: 09/23/2022

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